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RESPONSE A

This paper responds to the Official Action mailed 30 June 2005. The above Application includes pending Claims 1-26. The Office allows Claims 15-26 but rejects Claims 1-14 under 35 USC 103(a). Applicants respectfully traverse the rejection of Claims 1-14. Applicants also respectfully ask the Office to reconsider Claims 1-14 in view of amendments and arguments presented below, withdraw the rejections and allow Claims 1-14 together with Claims 15-26 at an early date.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.